

Salina Historic Facts

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| 1. | _____ | 1861 | a. Bicentennial Center dedicated on June 1 |
| 2. | _____ | 1922 | b. Fox Watson Theatre opened. |
| 3. | _____ | 1858 | c. Salina Community Theatre opened new building with Music Man. |
| 4. | _____ | 1867 | d. Kansas Wesleyan University opened on South Santa Fe. |
| 5. | _____ | 1879 | e. Salina Public Library opened in Odd Fellow Hall on North 7th Street. |
| 6. | _____ | 1886 | f. Kraft Manor became first shopping center in Salina; possibly in Kansas. |
| 7. | _____ | 1887 | g. First Smoky Hill River Festival in Oakdale Park. |
| 8. | _____ | 1890 | h. Schilling Air Force Base closing announced. |
| 9. | _____ | 1903 | i. St. John's Military school opened on North Santa Fe. |
| 10. | _____ | 1910 | j. Dunbar School closed. |
| 11. | _____ | 1956 | k. First hospital, St. Barnabas, built on ground donated by St. John's Military. |
| 12. | _____ | 1929 | l. Salina was founded this year. |
| 13. | _____ | 1986 | m. Kansas became a state on January 29, (blank). |
| 14. | _____ | 1977 | n. United Life Building completed |
| 15. | _____ | 1965 | o. The Cozy Inn opened this year. |
| 16. | _____ | 1931 | p. Fred Shellabarger bought Salina's first automobile, a Duryea. |
| 17. | _____ | 1953 | q. St. John's Baptist Church first held services in a dugout on North 2nd. |
| 18. | _____ | 1973 | r. Steve Fosset flew out of Salina and completed the first solo non-stop flight around the world. |
| 19. | _____ | 1977 | s. The railroad reach Salina in (blank) |
| 20. | _____ | 2005 | t. Smoky Hill Museum had grand opening in former post office building. |